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Dear Sir/Madam:

This paper is submitted as an informal response to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2004 in preparation for an interview scheduled on Thursday, February 26, 2004 between Examiner Fleurantin, Attorney Kevin Daffer and Jennifer Fisher. The response is submitted as an agenda for the interview and to highlight reasons why the application is in condition for allowance. Please amend the case as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

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Examiner Fleurantin,

Attached is an informal response to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2004. The response is submitted as an agenda for the interview scheduled for Thursday, February 26 at 2 pm (EST) between yourself, Attorney Kevin Daffer and Jennifer Fisher. Mr. Daffer and Mrs. Fisher will contact you at the designated time to discuss the merits of the case, as outlined in the attached response. Please advise if an alternative phone number should be used to contact you.

Thank you,
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